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ABSTRACT

~~A method is provided for an~~ An integrated circuit interconnect is provided having a dielectric layer disposed between a wide top metal line and a wide bottom metal line. A via-sea in the dielectric layer connects the wide top and wide bottom metal lines by means of a first via having a width, a second via having a width and spaced more than two widths away and less than four widths away from the first via.